From the Editors

This issue of *The Victorian Naturalist* publishes the results of recent work, in the form of a Research Report and two Contributions. In this instance there is no concentration in geographic area, flora or fauna. These papers help to maintain one of our aims for the journal, to be both informative and diverse in its contents.

As part of our charter of keeping our readers informed about natural history, reviews of recently published works in this field have an integral place in our journal. Such is the volume of publishing, and the regularity with which this output arrives in our mailbox, that we could easily devote most of each issue to reviews! However, in this particular issue no space for reviews was available.

Like this one, recent issues of the journal have been 32 page in length, the advantage of this form being that it is the most cost-effective way to maintain a proper ratio of papers to reviews and still have colour where required. However, this does nothing to reduce the backlog of reviews that are ready to be published.

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